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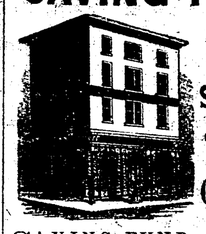

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Jan. 27, '59-tf

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Jan. 3, '56-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, *Agent.*

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Sept. 22, 1850-3m.

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Altoona, Nov. 24, '59-tf.

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Select Poetry.

From the Washington National Era.

PHATE'S WIFE'S DREAM.*

BY LOUISE E. VICKROY.

One flickering taper's feeble ray
Streamed through the stately gloom,
When to and fro, with gliding tread,
A lady paced the room.
But sorrow brooded in the eyes
With joy so wont to beam,
As tearfully she mused upon
A strange, mysterious dream,
A vague, unearthly dream.

And, leaning from the casement now,
She hears the watchman's cry,
And sees the fair Atlantades
Look softly from the sky;
Then, with clasped hands and trembling lips,
She murmured tenderly,
"Oh, Pilate, would that I could feel,
That all were well with thee,
Forever well with thee,

"Shall I wake thee but to pour
This vision in thine ear,
And meet thy smile, when I shall say
I know not what I fear?
No, slumber on; I will not break
The rest thou needest so,
Though heavy on my heart there lies
The sense of coming woe!
Some new, unfathomed woe!

"Once more I'll seek my couch, and hope
That ere the coming day,
These haunting, phantom fears shall be
Forever fled away!"
Her head is on the pillow pressed,
Her dark eyes closed, and then,
Far through the mystic realms of sleep
Her spirit strays again,
Wonderingly strays again—

And sees the earth all beautiful,
As fresh from the chaos burst,
And the deep lovely, as the Lord
Moved on its waters first.
While man, arrayed with innocence
In a most blest abode,
Where lengthening shadows softly crept,
Could walk, and talk with God,
E'en with the Eternal God.

And next she sees, where on that scene
A mournful change hath been—
For midst the peace of Paradise
The hideous form of sin
Had come, in serpent guise and walked
The element of strife.
And Eden banished man had dared
To spill the stream of life,
E'en take his brother's life.

Then years of darkness followed years
Of darkness, age on age,
Till earthly life but seemed to man
A dismal heritage,
But for the hope, by prophets sung,
Of One, whose arm to save
Was mighty, e'en to conquer sin,
And triumph o'er the grave,
Could taste, but spurn the grave.

Then brightly, brightly rose a star—
Star of the heavenly morn—
And music-breathing words sang sweet,
"The blessed babe is born."
The skies grew beautiful, the air
Was swept by angel's wings,
As lordlier music, wakening,
Proclaimed him Kings of kings,
God's Son, and King of kings.

And then she sees a meek-browed man
The plains of Judah tread,
His life is love, yet has he not
Whereon to lay his head;
He heals the sick, bestows the gift,
Of sight to sightless men,
Has walked the waters, and recalled
The dead to life again,
To mortal life again.

Has taught new doctrines, and proclaimed
The reign of Christ begun,
While God's own voice has said to him,
"My well-beloved Son!"
And yet, what scoffers round him crowd;
E'en at this hour they cry,
"False prophet! vile blaspheming one!
'Tis time that thou shouldst die!
O Pilate, let him die."

She starts, she wakes; this is no dream—
"My husband, where is he?
Gone, then away my messenger,
And tell him this for me,
With Jesus in thy trial hall,
Who waits his doom from thee.
Thou must have naught to do; 'twas so
Revealed in dreams to me,
In troubled dreams to me.

But Pilate's words are written now,
Written beyond recall—
While not one voice for Jesus pleads,
In that Sanhedrim hall,
Save thine, O woman! in whose dreams
The wondrous vision came;
But blest thou art, who in that hour
Didst own thy Saviour's name,
Thy Saviour's blessed name,

* Matthew, XXVII, 19.

Select Miscellany.

Eloquence of Henry Clay.

Whoever heard Mr. Clay for the first time, was almost certain to be delighted with him without exactly knowing why.—There was a charm about his oratory that defied analysis, and rendered sober criticism well nigh impossible. You went away too well pleased, and too full of admiration for the man, to think of asking how he had managed for the last hour, to put you in a rage at one moment, and make you laugh or cry the next, at will. There was something about him different from any other speaker I ever heard.—Webster was like a steam engine for concentrated power, and the rush and roar of his assault upon an enemy, a sort of human volcano. When the fires were kindled in those cavernous eyes, he poured forth a torrent of burning words scorching and scathing all before it. Calhoun was the very genius of abstract reasoning, calmly and deliberately adding link after link to the iron chain of his logic, till the hearer fell down, at the end, bound hand and foot in the unyielding meshes of an irresistible necessity. But Clay—when he mounted the rostrum a universal smile illuminated men's faces, and they looked at one another with an expression which said plainer than words, "Glad to see you, Mr. Clay. Begone, dull care! We're going to have a good time. This heavy work is over at last. Business done, now comes pleasure." "Clay," said Gen. Jackson, in the writer's hearing, "is the most plausible speaker that ever opened his mouth in a public assembly. If you listen to him, he will make you believe anything he pleases." This, from an enemy, was not meant for praise, but to the fact Old Hickory was willing to testify.

"Hush, Mr. Clay is going to address the jury." I looked at those two gentlemen with some interest, for a fellow-being was on trial before them for his life, accused of a most atrocious murder. Heavy, substantial-looking citizens they were—rather dull, I thought, and about as likely to be moved by an appeal to their feelings as the stalactites in the Mammoth Cave. As Mr. Clay commenced, a friend whispered in my ear, "That villain ought to be hung, but he's got a wife and child, and his old mother is here in court, and that's enough for Clay; he'll have the jury blubbering in less than half an hour." I doubted, but so it was. Those great hulking fellows were sobbing and mobbing their faces at the sorrows of the prisoner's family as depicted by the speaker, as though themselves had just lost their dearest friend. Even the court blew its nose vigorously; for some reason, during the appeal in behalf of the old woman, and though perfectly convinced that I was "sold" in so doing, I could not resist the epidemic, and sighed and sobbed in concert with the bench, bar, jury and spectators. It is needless to add that the prisoner was acquitted.

Several years ago, while in the vicinity of Ashland, I called upon Mr. Clay. He was absent from home, attending a fair in the neighborhood. Being desirous of an interview, I followed him to the fair grounds, and finding him just about to address the multitude, took a seat among them. Directly in front of me sat two ladies. One of them appeared to be in ill-humor for some reason, and I overheard the petulant remark, "I don't want to hear Clay. Wonder if nobody in Kentucky can't make a speech but him. My husband is a Democrat." Mr. Clay proceeded, and having occasion to refer to the domestic articles on exhibition, he paid the ladies some very high compliments upon their skill and industry, and in alluding to the beauty and good qualities of his fair country-women generally, said that with regard to them, as other fine fabrics, his preference was for domestic manufactures, instead of foreign imports. The mingled air of gallantry and drollery of the speaker, in this part of his address, the half jest and half earnest of his manner, the wit, the anecdote, and the pathos as he alluded to his own advancing years and increasing infirmities, were inimitable and irresistible. I looked at the Democrat's wife. It was plain that her efforts to hate Clay had ended in a miserable failure. She had been laughing and crying like the rest of us, and after the tumultuous applause which followed the close of the address had subsided, I was surprised to hear her say to her female companion, "Jane, it's no use not liking him because he's a Whig, is it? I suppose John won't like it, but I'm a going to give him my blankets.—*Evangelist.*

The Education of the Heart.

We commend the subjoined judicious remarks from the London Quarterly Review, to the discriminating attention and regard as well of parents as of teachers.—They contain an important principle in reference to the education of the young, and one which cannot be too carefully heeded:

"It is the vice of the age to substitute learning for wisdom—to educate the head and to forget that there is a more important education necessary for the heart.—The reason is cultivated at an age when nature does not furnish the elements necessary to a successful cultivation of it; and the child is solicited to reflection when he is only capable of sensation and emotion. In infancy the attention and the memory are only excited strongly by things which impress the sense and move the heart, and a father shall instil more solid and available instruction in an hour spent in the fields, where wisdom and goodness are emplified, seen and felt, than in a month spent in the study, where they are expounded in stereotype aphorisms.

"No physician doubts that precocious children, in fifty cases for one, are much worse for the discipline they have undergone. The mind seems to have been strained, and the foundations for insanity are laid. When the studies for maturer years are stuffed into the child's head, people do not reflect on the anotomical fact that the brain of an infant is not the brain of a man, that the one is confirmed and can bear exertion—the other is growing and requires repose; that to force the attention to abstract facts—to load the memory with chronological and historical or scientific details—in short to expect a child's brain to bear with impunity the exertion of a man's, is just as rational as it would be to hazard the same sort of experiment on its muscles.

"The first eight or ten years of life should be devoted to the education of the heart—to the formation of principles rather than to the acquirement of what is usually termed knowledge. Nature herself points out such a course; for the emotions are then the liveliest, and most easily moulded, being as yet unalloyed by passion. It is from this source that the mass of men are hereafter to draw their sum of happiness or misery; the actions of the immense majority are, under all circumstances, determined much more by feeling than reflection in truth, life presents an infinity of occasions where it is essential to happiness that we should feel rightly; very few where it is at all necessary that we should think profoundly.

"Up to the seventh year of life very great changes are going on in the structure of the brain, and demand, therefore, the utmost attention not to interrupt them by improper or over excitement. Just that degree of exercise should be given to the brain at this period as is necessary to its health; and the best is oral instruction, exemplified by objects which strike the senses.

"It is perhaps unnecessary to add that at this period of life, special attention should be given, both by parents and teachers, to the physical developement of the child. Pure air and free exercise are indispensible, and wherever either of these are withheld, the consequences will be certain to extend themselves over the whole future life. The seeds of protracted and hopeless sufferings have in innumerable instances, been sown into the constitution of the child simply through ignorance of this great fundamental physical law; and the time has come when the united voices of these innocent victims should ascend, "trumpet tongued," to the ears of every parent and every teacher in the land. "Give us free air and wholesome exercise; leave to develope our expanding energies in accordance with the laws of our being; and full scope for the elastic and bounding impulses of our young blood."

Tremendous Excitiment.—An Elephant Loose in the Streets.

On Friday morning a tremendous excitement was created in the lower part of Williamsburg, caused by the elephant belonging to Van Amburg's Menagerie becoming enraged and breaking loose from his keeper. A man had been employed to bring some shavings to the Menagerie, which were brought in a wagon. The man drove into the tent, and while unloading his wagon the elephant was observed to grow restless at the sight of the horse, which had a white blanket on. The man was advised to take his horse away; but before he could do so the elephant advanced a few steps, and knocking the man down with a blow of his trunk, next seized the horse, by means of his trunk, injured him seriously.

He next seized the wagon, throwing it up into the air and breaking it to pieces. His anger was fully aroused then, and proceeding to the cage of the prairie wolf, smashed it with his trunk, releasing him. Next in his way was the cage of the black bear. This cage was demolished, but the bear was chained up and could not escape. The cage of the zebra being next in his way, he pushed it through the tent and clear through the wall of a small shanty at the back of the tent. Then leaving the tent he got into the street, pursued by his keepers and hundreds of people, none of whom were able to cope with the enraged elephant. He did not molest passers by, but seemed to have a great aversion to horses, which he would pursue as rapidly as we was able, being hoppled with a chain connecting his tusks with one of his fore legs.

He finally was driven by the crowd into the stone yard, corner of South Fourth and Tenth Streets, where a number of workmen were engaged in dressing stone, and had just placed upon wooden horses a huge stone weighing about fifteen hundred tons. In attempting to get out of the stone yard, the elephant got caught by his chain to this stone, which checked him. The keepers gradually approached him with chains to fasten his legs, but it was not till he had received several severe blows with spears that his attention could be diverted so as to render it possible to further secure him. Finally he was thrown down upon his side, when he lay for some time, bellowing and thrashing about him with his trunk.

Application was made to the members of hook and ladder companies 1 and 3, who furnished the keepers with long hooks. One of these was run through one of his ears and twisted round until the poor animal could not move his head from pain of the wound. When he was perfectly subdued he was heavily bound with chains and taken back to the Menageric. He is almost covered with wounds received from the hooks and spears, and it is not deemed safe to exhibit him for a few days, nor would it be safe for his keepers to approach within sight of him.

It is a very fortunate circumstance, that no person was killed by the elephant, or trampled to death in the confusion to escape. As it is, the poor animal is the sufferer. This is the largest elephant that has been exhibited in this part of the country, and is the same that a few years since caused such havoc by escaping from his cage at Harlem. These fits of anger, it is said, occur annually, and the keepers have for some time been expecting some such demonstration, and kept a more careful watch of him.—*N. Y. Express.*

[Original.]

Virtue, Liberty & Independence.

The motto of our glorious Commonwealth possesses a significance which should commend it to the consideration of every citizen. It is no unmeaning aggregation of terms, but expresses briefly and with singular force, all that is essential to the happiness and prosperity of a free people. Virtue, the true basis of Liberty and Independence, and the only foundation upon which we may ever hope to build successfully and permanently a social and political superstructure that will resist the tide of error, fanaticism or social discord and against which the angry waver of anarchy and revolution must beat in vain. Virtue, as applied to a State is the voluntary obedience to truth under all circumstances the rejection of error, the repudiation of injustice. Let our people cultivate it conscientiously as the great palladium of that Liberty which stands only second to it. This, Liberty, is as diametrically opposed to anarchy as to Despotism. That is not Liberty which refuses to recognize the equality and rights of others, with whom we may be associated, but is that great principle of unwavering even-handed justice which restrains the arbitrary will of one man or a faction and preserves the rights of all intact—and secured by just and equitable laws, thus elevating a people by the inherent power of their own virtue above the despotic rule of a despotism or oligarchy on the one hand and the terrors of Red Republicanism on the other. A people thus circumstanced very naturally add to their Virtue and Liberty the grand climax of the "motto" Independence.

"Here the free spirit of mankind at length
Throws its last fetters off, and who shall place
A limit to the giants unchained strength,
Or curb his swiftness in the forward race.

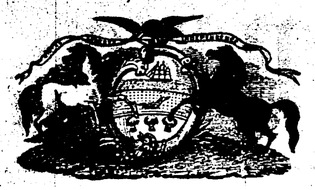
Except an allegiance to the great Ruler of the universe and a dependance on his all wise providence we stand free and untrammelled. Nor need we "bow the supple knee where thrift may follow fawning." Each man by virtue of his citizenship is peer to the proudest in the land. Our Liberty is religious as well as civil and we worship God according to the dictates of our own consciences, none daring to molest or make us afraid; for our security we rely not upon foreign bayonets or mercenary troops. By our industry we thrive. We are truly independent. Let us be vigilant to preserve the spirit as well as the letter of this well chosen motto. May our virtue as a people ever deserve the perpetuation of the Liberty and Independence we now enjoy. ROSEIUS.

☞ A recently married young man got intoxicated at a party, and in that state went home to his wife. As soon as he approached she leaped from the sofa, on which she had been half reclining, and throwing her alabaster arms about his neck, inquired, "Are you ill, dearest? What ails you? You do not seem to be yourself." "Well, the t-t-truth is that, that—that I went to sit—sit up with a sick brother, belonging to our—our lodge, you see, my love, and the li—light—light went out, and giving him brandy, as the doctor had prescribed, I—I must have made a mistake—a mistake in the dark, and taken the liquor myself; whi-which I should-should ha-have han-handed my friend—you see, my dear." This explanation was very satisfactory, especially to the husband.

POPULAR MORALITY.—The popular prosperity depends very much upon the popular morality. It is for a people to determine for themselves what they shall be, and what they shall become. Soil, climate, fortune, go but a small distance, comparatively speaking, in obtaining or securing eminence, happiness, or permanence to any station. Vainly would the patriot strive, and the sage counsel, and the soldier fight, if a people are neither true to themselves, nor active in their proper purposes. In their own hearts and hands lies the secret of their moral, their social and political successes, and the labor which is taken for them, in which they do not share, is so much labor thrown away. Even Hercules, a god, could only assist those who were first prepared, and willing to put their own shoulders to the wheel.

☞ Fools and obstinate people make lawyers rich.

The Altoona Tribune.



ALTOONA, PA.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 8, 1859.

☞ Where parties are unknown to us, our rule for advertising is to require payment in advance, or a guarantee from known persons. It is therefore useless for all such to send us advertisements offering to pay at the end of three or six months. Where advertisements are accompanied with the money, whether one, five or ten dollars, we will give the advertiser the full benefit of cash rates.

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Advertising Agents, 119 Nassau street, New York, and 10 State street, Boston, are the Agents for the *Altoona Tribune*, and the most influential and largest circulating Newspapers in the United States and the Canadas. They are authorized to contract for us at our *lowest rates*.

BAYARD TAYLOR AND INFIDELITY.—The last number of the *Presbyterian* contains a well timed editorial article, and a communication, in reference to Bayard Taylor's lecture on the life of Baron Von Humboldt. Humboldt was an infidel, notwithstanding his researches into the hidden mysteries of nature, and was particularly sarcastic in his writings, when referring to the christian religion of the world. The lecture of Taylor is condemned in the articles referred to because he embraces every opportunity to repeat those sarcasms, and does it in such a way as to induce the belief that he is partly an infidel himself, and his lectures are condemned because they tend to cast reproach upon christianity and present infidelity in a flattering light. It is to be lamented that such should be the case, and that so popular and promising a lecturer, as Bayard Taylor has become, should thus destroy his usefulness and the confidence of the people.

VERDICT AGAINST THE PENN'A R. R.—In the case of Ogier vs. the Pennsylvania Rail Road Company, tried in Chester county, a short time since, the jury returned a verdict in favor of Mrs. Ogier, the plaintiff, for $10,250. We have before referred to this suit, which was brought by Mrs. Ogier to recover damages for the killing of her husband, Dr. Ogier, some two years since, by a locomotive running into the carriage in which he was riding, at a cross road, in Chester county. The award of the arbitrators when the case was first brought up was $15,000. Herman Bond, who was in the carriage when Dr. Ogier was killed, and received some slight injuries from the collision, also brought suit against the Company, and the jury returned a verdict in his favor of $500.

ANOTHER ARCTIC EXPEDITION.—Dr. J. J. Hayes, the surgeon of the Kane expedition, is now organizing another expedition to the Arctic Ocean, which will probably start early next spring. Such is his confidence in the views expressed by Dr. Kane respecting discoveries about the North Pole, that he proposes to undertake, in his own person, the verification, which nothing but a series of extraordinary accidents that could not have been foreseen, prevented his commander from completing. He will go up Kennedy Channel. Committees have been appointed by the leading scientific societies of this country, and some in Europe, to co-operate with him. The Vice President of the French Geographical Society has become a subscriber to the fund to the amount of 500 francs.

☞ *Peterson's Magazine* for January is ahead of all competitors in point of time, and decidedly ahead in point of attractions, to any of the $3 publications. The first steel engraving is one of the finest we have ever seen in a magazine, and the colored fashion plates and ornamental needle work are of the latest styles and patterns. Considering that Peterson's is only a $2 magazine it could not have been expected that it would thus rival higher priced periodicals of the same kind. We predict for Peterson a most prosperous year. We will furnish it to any or our advance paying subscribers for the small sum of $1,25.

☞ The election for Mayor, in New York city, came off on Tuesday last. The result, as far as heard from, is as follows: Fernando Wood, Mozart Hall Democrat, 25,006; Havemeyer, Tammany Hall Democrat, 24,073; Opdyke, Republican, 18,927. Wood's majority will probably reach 2,000. Disturbances occurred in several of the wards; ballot-boxes were upset, and the votes destroyed.

A PENNSYLVANIA EX-MAYOR AMONG THE "CHIVALRY."—Ex-Mayor Lowry, of Erie, well known in Harrisburg some years ago as a fiery Democrat, stopped at Wheeling on his way home from Harper's Ferry, whither he had been to comfort the doomed Brown and his comrades. He opened not his mouth at the Ferry, but feeling safe in Wheeling, he "cussed" Virginia and her chivalry all into a heap, and pronounced a glowing eulogy upon Old Brown. In a few minutes he was waited upon by a deputation of citizens with a long rope, and told if he did not leave the town instantly he would positively be hung up to a tree. The ex-Mayor seized his valise and tore for the Depot like a lunatic. So says a Cleveland paper.

NEWSPAPER CHANGE.—The Huntingdon *Journal* is no more. Good bye, old fellow. Mr. J. Lutz, of Shirleysburg, publisher of the Shirleysburg *Herald*, which has been suspended for some time past, has purchased the type and press on which the *Journal* was printed and intends reviving the *Herald*. Samuel G. Whittaker has purchased the job type and jobbing apparatus of the *Journal* office and intends uniting them with those of the *American* office, and also becomes part proprietor of the *American* which will hereafter be styled the *American and Journal*, under the supervision of Nash & Whittaker. May prosperity attend you, gentlemen.

☞ We have received from the publishers, Messrs. Davis & Co., Pittsburgh, the Pennsylvania Almanac for 1860, which we consider one of the most valuable publications of the kind we have yet seen.—Besides the usual Almanac computations, it contains the names of all the Post-Offices and Postmasters in the State, the names of the Masonic and Odd Fellow Lodges in the State, with the amount of their receipts and fund of relief, also the time of holding Courts in the various counties of the State, together with other statistical and useful information.

A DEMOCRAT SOLD.—Isaiah Blood, the Douglas Democrat, is elected to the New York Senate from the Saratoga District, being the only gain the Democrats make to recompense the loss of seven members in other Districts. He made a sensation on the stump by the orthodoxy of his speeches, and it now appears that, having paid a poor fellow $10 to write him a "crack speech," he was imposed upon by a manuscript copy of one of Douglas' most famous orations. It was all the same to his constituents, and unquestionably the best $10 investment he ever made.

GODEY'S LADY'S BOOK.—This splendid ladies book, for January, is already before us, and is as good as ever. If any of our lady readers wish a useful and entertaining Magazine, we would advise them by all means to subscribe for this. It is the handsomest Magazine published. Terms, $3, or two copies for $5. Published by L. A. Godey, Philadelphia.

XXXVIth Congress.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—The House of Representatives was called to order at noon. Two hundred and thirty members answered to their names. The following persons were nominated for Speaker, viz: Messrs. Phelps, of Missouri; Sherman, of Ohio; Davis, of Indiana; Hickman, of Pennsylvania, and Bocock, of Virginia, upon which they proceeded to balloting, as follows:

Sherman, Republican,	66
Bocock, Democrat,	86
Grow, Republican,	43
Boteler, American,	14
Scattering votes,	25

Mr. Grow then withdrew his name.

Up to the hour we go to press we have nothing later than the above, consequently can form no idea as to who the successful candidate will be. In all probability an election will not soon be effected.

COUNTY CONVENTION.—In pursuance of the call of the Chairman, the People's County Committee met at the time and place designated by him, on the 3d inst.

Wm. Haggerty, Esq., was chosen Chairman, *pro tem.*, and George Koon, Esq., Secretary.

On motion, *Resolved*, That the citizens of Blair county, who are opposed to the principles and measures of the present National Administration, are requested to meet in their respective Townships and Boroughs, at the usual place of holding delegate elections, on SATURDAY the 24th of December inst., each to elect two delegates to represent them in a County Convention to be held on Tuesday the 27th inst, in Hollidaysburg, at 1 o'clock, P. M., of said day, to elect a Delegate to represent Blair county in the State Convention on the 22d day of February next, and to choose Conferees to appoint a Senatorial delegate.

In the townships the elections will be held between the hours of 2½ and 4 o'clock, P. M.—In the boroughs between 6 and 8 o'clock, P. M.

By order of the Committee.

WM. HAGGERTY, Chairman pro tem.
GEO. KOON, Sec'y.

GOLD IN INDIANA.—Gold diggings have been discovered in Brown county, Indiana, said to pay from $2,50 to $5 per day. Quite an extent of area in that region is thought to show signs of gold, but not in sufficient quantities as yet to excite much inrerest.

☞ The Charleston (S. C.) *News* advocates the expenditure of $100,000 by the State in the purchase of cannon, rifles and revolvers! The excuse is that "no one knows what a twelvemonth may bring forth."

PEN AND SCISSORS.

☞ Contradicted—the report that Kit Carson is dead.

☞ Recovering—Gerrit Smith. He will soon be restored to his right mind.

☞ Important Information—nearly all our exchanges tell us that Christmas is coming.

☞ The Teachers' Association of this county meets in Hollidaysburg on the 26th inst.

☞ Fine Sleighing—Is now being enjoyed by the people of Western New York. Snow is a foot deep.

☞ Out—the photographic likenesses, accompanied by the autograph, of Old John Brown. Price $1 00.

☞ Of all men the most miserable is the slanderer, he tells tales and gives the world a chance to prove him a liar.

☞ There are stone bridges in China three and four miles long, and an arch of the incredible span of six hundred feet.

☞ The *Standard* says that an effort will be made to galvanize the Central Bank on the 20th inst., by the election of a new board of Directors.

☞ The rumored fire which so excited the citizens of Charlestown, just after Old Brown's execution, proved to be a fabrication, and all is quiet again.

☞ The pursuit in which we cannot ask God's protection, must be criminal; the pleasure for which we dare not thank him cannot be innocent.

☞ Three hundred and seventy-three railway trains leave the city of London, England, every Sunday, to carry excursionists various distances into the country.

☞ An editor down the road says he is responsible for all that appears in his paper. We don't think any body else would like to be.

☞ Col. James Coulter, a well-known citizen of Westmoreland county, and an officer in the Mexican war, died at Latrobe on Monday week.

☞ Senator Seward, who has arrived at Paris, from Jerusalem, indignantly denies ever having heard of the projected insurrection at Harper's Ferry.

☞ A man calling himself Wm. Lloyd, was arrested at Louisville, Ky., on Saturday last, on suspicion of being concerned in the Harper's Ferry insurrection.

☞ The quantity of wheat brought into La Crosse, Wisconsin, is so great that there are scarcely enough freight cars on the road to carry it to Milwaukie.

☞ "Procrastination is the thief of time." And, reader, you are another when you unnecessarily disturb a man of business at his work, especially an editor.

☞ See first page for an excellent piece of poetry from the pen of Miss Louise E. Vickroy; also an original article headed "Virtue, Liberty and Independence."

☞ A down-east editor says he has seen the contrivance our lawyers use when they "warm up with the subject." He says it is a glass concern and holds about a pint.

☞ A loving husband recently telegraphed to his wife, as follows: "What have you for dinner, and how is baby?" The answer came back. "Pork, has the measles."

☞ There must be some precious scamps in Johnstown, judging from the accounts given in the *Echo* of their destruction of tombstones and property found in the streets.

☞ A certain editor boasts of the spaciousness of his columns. They are like some of the spacious hoops we see occasionally—there's nothing of much consequence in them.

☞ A Doctor's wife attempted to move him by her tears. "Ah," said he, "tears are useless. They contain a little phosphate of lime, some chlorate of sodium, and the rest water."

☞ The one hundredth anniversary of the introduction of Methodism into the United States is to be appropriately celebrated by that denomination some time during the coming year.

☞ A bill has been introduced into the lower House of the Texas Legislature appropriating 5,000,000 acres of the public lands to the support and maintenance of the public schools.

☞ The Hartford *Times* says, sixty spots in the sun can now be seen with a good telescope. Such an extensive eruption indidates that something is out of order in the solar system.

☞ Refreshing and interesting—the revelations now being made to the good people of Huntingdon through the controversy between the *Globe* and *Union*. Go in, Billy, —Speer him up, Milton.

☞ Some fellow gained access to the Court House bell, in Huntingdon, on Friday last, and commenced tolling it about 11 o'clock, in token of the hanging of Brown. He was promptly stopped by the authorities.

☞ At the request of her father, Mrs. Keesey has returned to the home of her father, in Mifflin county, taking her five children with her. She has given up all hopes of her husband's return.

☞ Good—We notice that our late cotemporaries of the Juniata *Sentinel*, Messrs. John M. Laird and W. J. Campbell, have joined the Good Templars at Bloomfield, Perry county. Hope they may hold out faithful.

☞ It is estimated that the Brown military demonstration in Virginia will cost that State $100,000. Gov. Wise will probably levy another tax upon the Virginia oyster beds to meet the expense.

☞ Six of the military companies have been ordered home from Charlestown, and one fourth of the members of other companies have obtained furloughs for ten days, to return in time for the executions on the 16th.

☞ The *Egyptian Spy*, issued at Tamaroa, Ill., by our old friend, J. S. Barr, is printed on the first type that ever was taken to Illinois—the same which printed the laws of the State while the seat of government was at Kaskaskia.

☞ Some sacreligious scamp entered the Lutheran Church at Newry, in this county, on the night of the 19th ult., and feloniously carried away the pulpit trimmings and about a yard and a half of broad-cloth used as a table cover.

☞ Considerably exorcised—the people of Erie, on account of the action of the Court in granting the third trial to Jake Foust, of this county, already twice convicted of the murder of Dinsmore in that place, some 18 months since.

☞ Two printers named Edward O. Daly and Andrew Dunn, who were considered dangerous to the peace and harmony of Kingstree, S. C., on account of their Abolitionism, were ridden out of that place on a rail a short time since.

☞ National Characteristics.—It is said that when a Frenchman has to wait he smokes, a German meditates, an Italian sleeps, an Englishman takes a walk, and an American invents some new contortion of his limbs, and tries to put his foot higher than ever.

☞ The *Weekly Phœnix* copies a number of items from our P. & S. column weekly, which are entirely of a local character; and by failing to give proper credit renders them about as interesting and intelligible to its readers, as one of David's psalms would be to a sick horse.

☞ A building is in course of erection in Peoria, Ill., which, when completed, will cover three acres of land, all under one roof. It is intended for the manufactory of pottery-ware, and when completed and in operation, will constitute the largest establishment for that business in the world.

☞ One of the assistant female teachers in one of the public schools in Cincinnati undertook to chastise a little urchin, a few days ago, when the little scamp raised her garments and took refuge beneath her hoops. She was compelled to agree to a truce before the impudent little chap would come out.

☞ There are some men, who, if they are not elected as delegates to their party conventions, or appointed on committees of arrangement when a demonstration is to be got up in their town, will give their nominees the cold shoulder and oppose the demonstration. Such actions are rather selfish, and have of late days become exceedingly unpopular with the masses, as some have discovered.

☞ A young lady passed through Cincinnati last week on her way to St. Louis, whither she had been forwarded by express. She was from Paris, and, being ignorant of our language, her friends had placed her in charge of an express messenger. The "way-bill" was made out in due form, and the charges paid as per tariff. The messenger declared that he never took such good care of freight before.

☞ A Tough Story—The editor of a Texas paper states that Mrs. G. W. Howard, of Sabine county, lately took her little child, aged nine months, to a cotton field and set him on the ground, while she went to another part of the field. Returning, she found him with both hands clasped round the neck of a ground *rattlesnake*. The mother screamed, and the baby dropped the snake and *crawled to mother*.—On examining the snake it was found to be perfectly dead, baby having choked it and saved his life.

Brown's Execution.

We copy the following from the telegraphic reports from Charlestown in relation to the execution of old John Brown which took place on Friday last:—

At an early hour the town was in more than usual stir, even for the stirring times that have fallen upon this neighborhood. Soon the movements of the military drew all the citizens of the place and all others who had been able to gain admittance to the town to the vicinity of the place assigned for the execution.

The prisoner was brought out of jail at eleven o'clock. Before leaving he bid adieu to all his fellow-prisoners, and was very affectionate to all except Cook. He charged Cook with having deceived and misled him in relation to the support he was to receive from the slaves. He said he was led by him to believe they were rife for insurrection, but he had found that his representations were false. Cook denied the charge and made but little reply to Brown. The prisoner then told the sheriff he was ready, when his arms were pinioned, and he walked to the door apparently calm and cheerful. He wore a black slouch hat and the same clothes worn during his trial. As he came out he was taken under guard of the military. Six companies of infantry and one troop of horse, with Gen. Taliaferro and his entire staff were deployed in front of the jail.

At the door of the jail an open wagon, with a pine box in which was a fine oak coffin, was waiting for him. He looked around and spoke to several persons whom he recognized, and walking down the steps, was assisted to enter the wagon, and took his seat on the box containing his coffin, along with Jailor Avis. He looked with interest on the fine military display but made no remark. The wagon moved on as soon as he had taken his seat, flanked with two files of riflemen in close order.

On reaching the field the military had already full possession, and pickets were stationed at various points. The citizens were kept back at the point of of the bayonet from taking any position except that assigned them—nearly a quarter of a mile from the scaffold. Through the determined persistence of Dr. Rawlings, of Frank Leslie's paper, the order excluding the press was partially rescinded, and the reporters were assigned a position near the General's staff.

The prisoner walked up the steps firmly, and was the first man on the gallows. Jailor Avis and Sheriff Campbell stood by his side, and after shaking hands and bidding an affectionate adieu thanked them for their kindness. He then put the cap over his face and the rope around his neck. Mr. Avis then asked him to step forward on the trap. He replied, "You must lead me for I cannot see." The rope now being adjusted, and the military order given, the soldier's marched and countermarched, and took their position as if an enemy was in sight.—Nearly ten minutes was thus occupied, the prisoner standing meanwhile. Mr. Avis inquired if he was not tired. Brown replied, "No; but don't keep me waiting longer than necessary."

At fifteen minutes past eleven the trap fell.—A slight grasping of the hands and twitching of the muscles was visible, and then all was quiet. The body was several times examined, and his pulse did not cease beating for thirty-five minutes. It was then cut down and placed in the coffin, and conveyed under a military escort to the depot, and there put in a car to be conveyed to Harper's Ferry by a special train at four o'clock. The whole arrangements were carried out with a precision and military strictness that was most annoying.

The general conviction is everywhere entertained that the rumors of intended rescue were altogether an egregious hoax.

This morning Capt. Brown executed an instrument empowering Sheriff Campbell to administer on all property of his in this State, with directions to pay over the proceeds of the sale of his weapons, if recovered, to his widow and children.

BROWN'S INTERVIEW WITH HIS FELLOW-PRISONERS.

Sheriff Campbell bid the prisoner farewell in his cell, and Brown returned his thanks to him for his kindness, and spoke of Captain Pate as a brave man. He was then conducted to the cells of his fellow-prisoners, desiring to take his leave of them. Entering the cell of Copeland and Green, he told them to stand up like men and not betray their friends. He handed each a quarter of a dollar, saying that he had no more use for money, and having said this, he bid them a final farewell.

Next he visited Cook and Coppie, who were chained together. Addressing Cook, he remarked, "You have made false statements." Cook asked, "What do you mean?" Brown replied, "Why in stating that I sent you to Harper's Ferry." Cook replied, "Did you not tell me in Pittsburgh to come to Harper's Ferry and see if Forbes had made disclosures?" Capt. Brown. "No sir! You know I protested against your coming." To this Cook only responded: "Captain Brown, we remember differently." As he said this he dropped his head, and Brown, as if in contempt, turned away, and addressing Coppie, said: "Coppie, you also made false statements, but I am glad to hear you have contradicted them. Stand up like a man." Brown also handed Copie a quarter, and then shaking both by the hand, parted with them.

The prisoner was then taken to Stevens' cell, and kindly interchanged with him a good bye. Stevens said:—"Good bye, Captain—I know you are going to a better land." Brown replied:—"I know I am," and urged Stevens to bear up, and not betray his friends. He also gave Stevens a quarter, and then took leave of him. He did not visit Hazlett, as he always persisted in denying any knowledge of him.

CAPT. BROWN ON HIS WAY TO EXECUTION.

On his way to the scaffold, Mr. Sadler, the undertaker, remarked to Capt. Brown, "You are a game man, Captain." To which Captain Brown replied: "Yes, I was so trained—it was one of the lessons of my mother; but it is hard to part from friends, though newly made."—Then he remarked—"This is a beautiful country—I never had the pleasure of seeing it before." On reaching the field in which the gallows was erected, Brown said: "Why are none but military allowed in the enclosure? I am sorry the citizens have been kept out."

As he reached the gallows he observed Wm. Hunter and Mayor Green standing near, to whom he said, "Gentlemen good-bye;" his voice not faltering in the least. While on the scaffold Sheriff Campbell asked if he would take a handkerchief in his hand to drop as a signal when he was ready. He replied, "No—I do not want it; but do not detain me any longer than is actually necessary."

☞ The Trenton (N. J.) *State Gazette* reports a case of horrible cruelty to a child. A man named Applegate was recently arrested in Monmouth county for ill-usage of a little girl. The child was kept half-starved, and it was a frequent practice of Applegate to whip her in the most brutal manner for the most trivial causes. On Friday morning last he gave her a shocking beating, after which he went to his work.—About 11 o'clock the child was found dead in bed, with a crust of bread in her hand. One of her wrists were broken. It is supposed that he held her by one arm while he beat her, and that the wrist was broken by twisting it. Applegate was immediately arrested and lodged in jail.—He does not deny the act, and assigns, as one of the reasons for its commission, that the child's board was not paid.

☞ At a Whig meeting held in Lexington, Md., last week, Hon. Edward Bates was nominated for the Presidency.

The English Reviews.

Our advertising columns contain Messrs. L. Scott & Co.'s announcement of the terms on which they supply American subscribers with their accurate and beautiful reprint of the four great English Reviews and Blackwood's Magazine. Our readers are, we presume, mostly familiar with the distinguishing characteristics and great value of these reprints.

The North British Review, the Free Church Organ—which had wandered somewhat from its first love, has now, we rejoice to say, got back to its Orthodox moorings, and bids fair to be all that the cause there demands.

The Westminster Review, under the care of Mr. John Chapman (the American-London bookseller), is the "Liberal" and progressive organ, fighting a great fight against Church and State in favor of Free Trade, and, to a degree, of free thinking also. Its literary character is extremely able, and it utters great truths, mixed sometimes with dangerous errors.

The Edinburgh Review, edited by Mr. Reeve, —is the old Whig organ, started by Jeffrey, and Brougham, and Sydney Smith, and is still mighty in maintenance of its principles. A good notice of a book is worth more in its columns than anywhere else.

The London Quarterly, under the management of Rev. W. Elwyn—was established to fight the *Edenburgh* on its own ground, and with its own weapons, and was carried on by Southey, Scott, Lockhart, &c, &c. It now defends conservative principles, and upholds the Establishment.

Blackwood's Magazine, Tory to the backbone —has, in England, a circulation, it is said, of 40,000 copies. And, though it "edits itself," its corps of contributors is of such vast and varied ability, that it stands at the head of the Magazines of the world.

Such is the price paid in England for the grade of writing which appears in these Periodicals, that the cost of the five, it is said, will average to their publishers, $25 a page, or an aggregate of near $100,000 a year. The English public, moreover, have to pay $31 per year as the subscription price of the five. Messrs. Scott & Co. furnish them—as finely printed in every respect—to Americans, for $10.

The beginning of the year is a favorable time to subscribe for these fruitful and important works. It would be a wise use of a ten dollar bill—the gift of one, or ten or twenty, or even forty—in each parish, to make it certain that every pastor has the reading of their pages for the coming year. The congregation would hear from their investment in the quickened intelligence, and stimulated thought of the pulpit.

Moreover—in all our villages—it would be a good thing done, for ten or twenty reading young men to club together, and procure these reprints for their own use and benefit. They will gain more from them, than from thrice the money invested in oysters, sleigh rides, popular fiction, or pictorial periodicals.

☞ A boy was frightened to death at Ottawa, Canada, on the 2d inst., under the following circumstances. Some men were about to slaughter an ox, and had attached one end of the rope to the horns and passed the other through the door in the slaughter house, and were driving the animal in. The boy, Simon O'Donnell, held a candlestick in one corner to throw light on the proceedings. When the beast was driven in it appears that it made a sudden movement toward the corner where the boy was, and was instantly seized by the nose by one of the butcher's dogs, when it roared out loudly, and the boy dropped to the ground in an instant, perfectly dead.

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☞ During a practice of more than twenty years, Dr. M'Lane had attended innumerable patients afflicted with every form of worm disease, and was induced to apply all the energies of his mind to the discovery of a vermifuge, or worm destroyer, certain in its effects; the result of his labors is the American Worm Specific, now before the public, prepared by Fleming Bros. of Pittsburgh, which is perfectly safe, and may be given alike to children of the most tender age, or to the aged adult; it purges mildly and subdues fever, and destroys worms with invariable success. It is easy of administration, and as it does not contain mercury in any form whatever, no restrictions are necessary with regard to drinking cold water, nor is it capable of doing the least injury to the tenderest infant. An incredible number of worms have been expelled by this great vermifuge.

☞ Purchasers will be careful to ask for DR. M'LANE'S CELEBRATED VERMIFUGE, manufactured by FLEMING BROS. of Pittsburgh, Pa. All other Vermifuges in comparison are worthless. Dr. M'Lane's genuine Vermifuge, also his celebrated Liver Pills, can now be had at all respectable drug stores. *None genuine without the signature of* FLEMING BROS.

☞ DR. HOSTETTER'S BITTERS have received the warmest encomiums from the press and people throughout the Union. As a valuable tonic for the cure of Dyspepsia, Flatulence, Constipation and general nervous debility, it cannot be approached. Every day new cases of its great effect are chronicled through our public journals. There is nothing equal to the enjoyment, to that which the afflicted experience when using this valuable specific. Its mild tone, its sure and vigorous action upon a disordered stomach, and the cleansing of the entire human body should recommend it to all classes of our community. All that will be necessary to convince the skeptical of its healthy effects, is to purchase a bottle and be convinced.

Sold by druggists and dealers generally, everywhere.

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DR. HOOFLAND'S GERMAN BITTERS,

AND

DR. HOOFLAND'S BALSAMIC CORDIAL,

The great standard medicines of the present age, have acquired their great popularity only through years of trial. Unbounded satisfaction is rendered by them in all cases; and the people have pronounced them worthy.

Liver Complaint, Dyspepsia, Jaundice, Debility of the Nervous System, Diseases of the Kidneys,

and all diseases arising from a disordered liver or weakness of the stomach and digestive organs, are speedily and permanently cured by the GERMAN BITTERS.

The **Balsamic Cordial** *has acquired a reputation surpassing that of any similar preparation extant. It will cure,* WITHOUT FAIL, *the most severe and long-standing*

Cough, Cold, or Hoarseness, Bronchitis, Influenza, Croup, Pneumonia, Incipient Consumption,

and has performed the most astonishing cures ever known of

Confirmed Consumption.

A few doses will also at once check and cure the most severe **Diarrhœa** *proceeding from* COLD IN THE BOWELS.

These medicines are prepared by Dr. C. M. JACKSON & Co., *No. 418 Arch Street, Philadelphia, Pa., and are sold by druggists and dealers in medicines everywhere, at 75 cents per bottle. The signature of* C. M. JACKSON *will be on the outside wrapper of each bottle.*

In the Almanac published annually by the proprietors, called EVERYBODY'S ALMANAC, *you will find testimony and commendatory notices from all parts of the country. These Almanacs are given away by all our agents.*

☞ For sale, in Altoona, by A. Roush and G. W. Kessler, and by all Druggists. [may 19,'59-1y

THE TRIUMPH COMPLETE.

Another perfect cure of Epilepsy by Dr. Hance's Epileptic Pills.

DURANTS NECK, PERQUIMAN'S Co., Oct. 1st, 1855.

DR. HANCE—Dear Sir:—Having been afflicted with falling fits for some years past, I determined to give your Pills a trial, (advertisement of which I saw in some of the papers,) and continued to use them for some months, until I was entirely cured. I believe them to be a first rate article; and since I have used them, I have not had one attack, and am now in the enjoyment of good health.

I am, very respectfully, Yours, &c.,
JONATHAN J. JACOBS.

P. S. The Pills were recommended to me by Mr. Nathan Newby, of this county, to whose address you sent them.

Those Pills, besides curing Epilepsy, are a specific for all modifications of nervous disease. Price $3 per box; two boxes for $5; twelve boxes for $24. Persons enclosing a remittance will have the Pills sent them through the mail, on its receipt. For sale by Seth S. Hance, No. 108 Baltimore street, Baltimore, Md., to whom orders from all parts of the Union must be addressed.

☞ "OH THAT THE SKIN of an innocent sheep should be made into parchment, and written on to the undoing of a man!" quoth Shakspeare. He might also have deplored the ruining of men's forms by the uncouth manner in which some ungracious tailors butcher up the cloth made from the wool grown by these same harmless sheep. To see the perfection of the art of working up cloth wisely and well, and so as to set off to the best advantage the forms of its wearers, call at the *Brown Stone Clothing Hall of Rockhill & Wilson*, Nos. 603 and 605 Chestnut St., above Sixth, Phila. and examine their stock of garments for gentlemen and youths.

DR. HERSHEY'S CELEBRATED *Worm Syrup.*

TO THE PUBLIC.

AFTER A TRIAL of over TEN years in private practice, the subscriber is prepared to offer to the public a WORM SYRUP which has never failed to perform cures where others have been given in vain. It is beyond dispute the most pleasant and effectual preparation of the kind ever offered for sale.

It performs its cures safely, speedily, and effectually; injuring the nervous system in no wise—unlike, in this respect, to the Pink Root and Turpentine preparations—that does it contain mercury in any shape or form; but is a purely vegetable production, and so harmless in its action that the most delicate infant may take it.

It is one of the best and most gentle purgatives that can be administered to children, in case, even, where no Worms exist, and is all that may be required, in nine cases out of ten, to restore the deranged condition of the digestive organs, so frequently met during childhood; and save your children from severe spells of sickness, or convulsions.

Those Physicians who have used it are perfectly delighted with it, and use it in preference to any other preparation ever offered.

Manufactured and Sold Wholesale and Retail at N. W Corner Fourth and George St., Philadelphia, Pa.

D. HERSHEY, M. D.

For Sale by A. ROUSH, Altoona, Pa.

NEW GROCERY FEED AND PROVISION STORE.

The subscriber would respectfully inform the citizens of Altoona and vicinity that he has opened a store of the above kind, near the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a full supply of everything in his line. His

GROCERIES

are all fresh and will be sold at prices as low as those of any other establishment in town. His stock of provisions, consisting of

Flour, Hams, Shoulders, Sides, &c.

will be sold a little cheaper than they can be bought any where else. His Flour is obtained from the best mills in the Western part of the State, and is warranted to be what it is represented.

All kinds of Feed for horses, cows and hogs, always on hand.

I intend to keep such an assortment that I shall at all times be able to supply my customers with whatever they may need, and I intend also to sell at prices which will make it a saving to those who patronize my store.

July 22, 1858-3m. HENRY BELL.

TO THE PUBLIC.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully announce to the citizens of Altoona and vicinity, that he has opened a

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

TIN, SHEET-IRON WARE & STOVE STORE,

on Helen street, between Annie and Julia streets, East Altoona, where he will keep constantly on hand a large assortment of everything in his line, which he will dispose of on reasonable terms.

ROOFING & SPOUTING

put up on short notice. He also manufactures LEADED IRON Spouting, which is said to be much superior to galvanized sheet-iron or tin.

All kinds of job work promptly attended to. A share of public patronage is solicited. SAMUEL I. FRIES.

Oct. 27th, '59-tf.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—The subscriber offers at Private Sale the HOUSE and LOT now occupied by her, on the corner of Adaline and Julia streets, East Altoona. The House is a good Two Story Frame Building, containing a Hall, Parlor, Dining-Room and Kitchen on the first floor, four good sleeping rooms on the second floor, a finished Attic. The lot is in good order.

Persons wishing to view the premises and obtain further information will call upon the subscriber.

MARGT. M. MCCRUM.

Altoona, Aug. 11th, 1859-tf.

NOW FOR FITS!—THE SUBscriber desires to inform the citizens of Altoona that he has just received his stock of

FALL AND WINTER CLOTHS,

Which he is prepared to make up to order on short notice and on as reasonable terms as any other Tailor in the place.

JOHN O'DONNELL.

Altoona, Nov. 17th, 1859.

TO all wanting Farms. See advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

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Altoona Tribune.

ALTOONA MAIL SCHEDULE.

MAILS CLOSE.

Eastern Way at	7 30 A.M.
Western "	8 00 A.M.
Hollidaysburg, "	8 00 "
Western Through and Hollidaysburg,	7 00 P.M.
Eastern Through Mail	8 10 "

MAILS OPEN.

Eastern Through Mail,	8 20 A.M.
Western Through and Hollidaysburg,	7 40 "
Western Way,	11 15 A.M.
Eastern "	7 20 P.M.
Hollidaysburg	7 25 "

Office open for the transaction of business from 7.00 A M to 8.15 P. M., during the week, and from 7.50 to 8.50 o'clock, on Sunday.

June 4, '57-tf] JOHN SHOEMAKER, P. M.

RAILROAD SCHEDULE.

Express Train	East arrives	9.22 P. M.,	leaves	9.40 P. M.
" "	West "	8.20 A. M.	"	8.40 A. M.
Fast "	East "	7.40 A. M.	"	8.00 A. M.
" "	West "	8.45 P. M.,	"	9.05 P. M.
Mail "	East "	11.15 A. M.	"	11.35 A. M.
" "	West "	7.25 P. M.,	"	7.45 P. M.

The HOLLIDAYSBURG BRANCH connects with Express Train East and West, with Mail Train East and West, and with Local Freight Eastward and Westward.

The BLAIRSVILLE BRANCH connects with Johnstown Way Train East and West, Express Train West and Mail Train East.

November 29, 1858. THOS. A. SCOTT, *Sup't.*

LOCAL ITEMS.

Grand Celebration

TO COME OFF

AT ALTOONA,

On Thursday, December 15, 59.

EXCURSION TICKETS,

Good from the 14th to the 16th,

TO BE ISSUED FROM

HARRISBURG, PITTSBURGH,

AND INTERMEDIATE STATIONS

TO ALTOONA.

MEETING OF THE COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS.

The Committee of Arrangements to prepare for the grand celebration on the event of the introduction of Gas and Water into Altoona, met agreeably to adjournment, on Tuesday evening last, Geo. B. Cramer in the Chair.

Minutes of the last meeting read and approved.

The committee appointed to make preparations for the accommodation of the Bands reported that they had attended to that duty.

The committee on invitations reported the acceptance of the Logan Rifle Rangers.

Col. J. L. Piper having declined to serve as Chief Marshall, on account of indisposition and absence from town, Geo. W. Patton was unanimously selected to fill his place.

A. A. Smythe reported that the boiler-makers in the shops in this place contemplated turning out in a body in the procession, and having a two or four horse wagon rigged up with a boiler upon it and men at work thereon.

On motion of B. F. Rose, the Committee on invitation was instructed to invite the Bloomfield Brass Band.

The Committee appointed at previous meeting to prepare orders for the day, reported the following

PROGRAMME:

Procession to form at 1 o'clock P. M., on Main street, right resting on Caroline street, in the following order:—

Chief Marshal and Aids.
Altoona Brass Band.
Soldiers of the war of 1812.
Soldiers of the Mexican War.
Allegheny Cavalry.
Tyrone Artillery.
Altoona Guards.
Emmett Guards, Hollidaysburg.
Mifflin and Patterson Brass Band.
Ringold United Infantry, Patterson.
Juniata Rifles, Hollidaysburg.
Logan Rifle Rangers, Altoona.

(Eight or ten military companies in addition to the above have been invited, several of whom will undoubtedly join in the parade.)

Van Trics' Cornet Band.
Good Will Engine & Hose Company.
Huntingdon Brass Band.
Mountain Lodge, No. 281, A. Y. M., and visiting Lodges.
Philadelphia Brass Band.
Altoona Lodge, No. 473, I. O. of O. F., and visiting Lodges.
Newport Brass Band.
Winnebago Tribe, No. 35, I. O. R. M., and visiting Tribes.
Millerstown Brass Band.

Washington	Camp, No. 31,	J. S. A.,	Altoona.	
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"	" "	60,	"	"
"	" "	45,	"	Williamsb'g
"	" "	59,	"	Huntingd'n

Bloomfield Brass Band.

Boiler makers from Altoona shops, with wagon, drawn by four horses, and boiler and furnace thereon, and men at work.

Citizens on foot.

ROUTE.

Countermarch down Main to Annie street, up Annie to Emma, up Emma to Clara, down Clara to Virginia, down Virginia to Allegheny, down Allegheny to Branch, up Branch to Caroline, up Caroline to Harriet, down Harriet to Katharine, up Katharine to Adeline, up Adeline to Caroline, up Caroline to Helen, down Helen to Annie, up Annie to Rebecca, up Rebecca to Clara, down Clara to Main, down Main to Logan House, where an address will be delivered by Col. L. W. Hall, after which the procession will be dismissed.

The illumination to take place at 7 and be kept up until 9 o'clock.

The torch light procession to form at 7 o'clock, on Virginia street, right resting on Caroline street

On motion adjourned to meet on Tuesday evening next, at 7½ o'clock.

GEO. B. CRAMER, *Chairman.*

D. T. CALDWELL, *Sec'y.*

After reading the above attractive programme, it would appear almost unnecessary for us to add anything in order to convey an idea of the grand sights to be seen on the day and evening of the 15th, or to induce everybody to come to Altoona at that time. Such a varied display of military companies, and civic associations has never been seen in the country, and in very few if any, of the cities; in addition to which we will have the music of eight Brass Bands and a number of martial bands; sufficient in themselves to form a large procession, and certainly an attractive feature in the programme to those who love music—and who does not?

The arrangement gotten up by the boiler-makers will add very materially to the interest of the occasion, and we should like to see their example followed by other branches of mechanics, who can conveniently get up such arrangements.

The issuing of excursion tickets, good from the 14th to the 16th, will afford all persons on the line of the Pa. R. R. a fine opportunity to visit our mountain city, which many desire to do, and at the same time witness one of the prettiest sights they could wish to look upon.

Come along, one and all, and our word for it you will not be disappointed in your expectations, in reference to the display, and will find out that the people of Altoona do nothing by halves, and that their town is no "one-horse" concern.

☞ Our readers will remember that some four weeks since we noticed the fact that a young lady had called at the house of Mr. Miller, in Fostoria, and asked to see the child known as the "Fostoria Foundling," and that upon taking it up became so much affected that she was charged with being the mother of it. This she at first denied, but afterwards admitted the truth of the impeachment. The name of the woman was not then given, but it was afterwards published as Miss Alcott, of Allegheny City. Articles in relation to the affair having come to her notice, she publishes the following card in the Pittsburgh *True Press* of Monday last, which is prefaced by a few remarks by the editor of the *Press*. Our readers can draw their own conclusions:—

THE FOSTORIA FOUNDLING.—A few days ago we picked up a Hollidaysburg paper, in which it was stated that Miss Sarah Alcott, daughter of a Methodist minister of Allegheny, was the mother of the famous Fostoria foundling. We published the statement as a sequel to what had already found its way into the public prints, in reference to this mysterious affair. The lady alluded to (now Mrs. Kearns) denies the statement in the following "pathetic" manner:

Editor Daily True Press—Sir: You have done me a desperate wrong, and have either ignorantly, or willfully lied about my father. I am not the mother of the Fostoria child; neither am I the mother of more than one child, and that one I did say belonged to a doctor in Allegheny. I never admitted that the one in Fostoria was mine, for, according to Mr. Miller's statement, it was found on the third of February, when I was at home in my mother's house, and to prove this fact I can get twenty witnesses. This is more than I will bear, and I have seen misery enough without you adding to my unhappiness. Misery is only a word to some, but to me it has been a terrible truth that I have had to learn day by day for the last three years; it will not make itself a place; I cannot wear it as a garment: I have mutinied against it wildly, desperately, with a passionate, fiery strength that you could not realize. I have dashed myself against my prison walls—yes, and yet love the knife that wounded me. Oh! why was I made strong enough to live through it all, and give life to one who must always bear the reproach of her unfortunate mother? Why should I be tossed upon a boiling sea till it stupefies into a calm and leaves me a wrecked being upon the barren desolate shore? Is there never any more sunshine to fall upon my pathway? Am I still to grope my way onward without one cheering word of consolation, with no star to guide me—not even my daughter left me, but cruelly torn from my arms and given to strangers, and whilst my heart was bleeding from the wounds of that cruelty, reproach and shame is pointed in another direction. I believe you to have a kind heart, and that you have some sympathy for the unfortunate, I then solicit your favor in correcting this scandalous report, and save me the trouble of prosecuting you and others for using my name in so scandalous a manner.

MRS. S. KEARNS.

Allegheny City, Dec. 2.

P. S.—My father has his ordination paper or certificate.

☞ The *Register* of this week contains the following item, which we commend to the careful perusal of all the boys into whose hands our paper may fall:—

BOYS, DO YOU HEAR THAT!—Andrew Carnegie has been promoted to the honorable and responsible position of Superintendent of the Western Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad! Only a few years ago he went into the service of the Company in the capacity of an errand boy for the Superintendent's office at Pittsburg. From that humble position to his present proud one, he has made his way with no other helps or influences than a faithful and watchful regard to the interests of his employers and a careful and prompt discharge of the duties of his place. He has received the reward of merit;—and his success is such a striking incentive to like conduct on the part of all boys in all places that you should never forget it. Be attentive, be industrious, honest and faithful like Mr. Carnegie, and like him sooner or later you will get a rich reward.

REMEMBER THE POOR.—"The poor ye have always with you," was not less an admonition than a fact, when it came from the lips of the Saviour. It was intended for all time, and calculated for to-day as well as two thousand years ago. The poor we have with us, and it is our duty to provide for their wants and contribute to their comfort. There is more destitution and suffering in our populous town than most people dream of.

Embers charred and dying
Are typical of blasted, dying hopes,
Pondering o'er this truth, mammon's hands relax
And yield a tythe to humble charity's,
Or clutch her gains with more convulsive grasp,
And laugh with the winds at grief-worn wast."

THE WEATHER.—Very unpleasant, but nevertheless quite seasonable, is the damp, muggy, foggy weather which has been with us for the last few days. Though just what we ought to expect at this season of the year, it is uncommonly hard to take, after the soft, hazy days of Indian Summer we have been enjoying. Saturday, Sunday and Monday last was all sorts except sunshine. Beginning with rain, then turning to hail and sleet, and afterwards a fog dense enough to hide the other side of town.—How long this may continue we can't tell, but we hope soon to realize a sight of the clear skies, and sharp, crisp atmosphere of December.

ARM BROKEN.—On Thursday last, a young man named George Eisenberg, in the employ of Dr. Good & Gemmill, of this place, had his arm severely fractured immediately above the wrist, and his head somewhat bruised, by being thrown from a horse and the horse afterwards falling upon him, while riding through the farm of Mr. Hutchison, a short distance below town.—It appears that while riding past Mr. Hutchison's house, a dog ran out at the horse and continued in the road before him until finally he got between his legs, throwing the horse down and Eisenberg off and under him.

☞ Boys and girls, here is a word for you; get out of bed early in the morning—sing, dance and jump till your eyes are fairly open; do up your chores and morning work with a will, and then hie off to school with a light heart and a clear head, and you will be happy all the day. The active boy makes the active man, and the slow, moping, listless, lazy man was once the boy who grumbled when he had a lesson to learn. Wake up, then, and off to school.

CHURCHES TO BE LIGHTED WITH GAS.—We understand that the Presbyterian, Lutheran, Methodist, Baptist and United Brethren Churches are to be lighted with gas. All these churches are now well lighted with chandeliers, but we imagine that the congregations will be much better satisfied with the improvement which the gas light will make.

☞ The following letter shows the reputation of Duff's Book-keeping in distant parts of the Union, and indicates the value of a Diploma bearing the author's signature:

Kentucky Mercantile College,
Louisville, November 24, 1859.

MR. P. DUFF, Merchant's College, Pittsburgh:—On opening this institution I found that the business men of the city had a decided preference for your system of Book-keeping. I therefore, adopted it, to the exclusion of Manuscripts and all other systems. Many of the ablest and most experienced accountants in Louisville have examined Harper's enlarged edition of your work, and say that they have met with no other work on the subject containing so much practible cal information, expressed in so clear and forcible a manner.

Our students express the greatest satisfaction with their rapid improvement. I am entirely convinced that an equal degree of proficiency can never be attained by students who are taught by the Manuscript System. In fact that system is now recognized as an exploded humbug by most business men throughout the West. The public have lost confidence in it, and the rival College in this city will soon have to adopt Duff's Book-keeping, if they desire to keep up with modern improvements.

F. U. WORLEY, Principal.

LUTHERAN COLONY.—A meeting for the permanent organization of the proposed Lutheran Colony, to locate in Missouri, will be held in Altoona, Pa., on Thursday, the 29th inst., at 10 o'clock A. M. All persons who feel interested in the success of the interprise, are respectfully urged to attend, as business of importance to the members of the Colony will be transacted. For further information address Geo. W. Patton, or Dr. D. R. Good, Altoona, Pa.

OFF TO THE CITY.—Our young friend, John Lowther, of the "Model" Store, down stairs, left for the city this morning to lay in a supply of goods suitable for the season. He will be on hand with a new stock in time for the ladies to rig themselves out in a grand attire for the celebration. Of course there will be a great many beaux in town that day, and the ladies will have to put on their best "bib and tucker," and John will bring the articles.

WHO KNOWS HIM.—A few days since a man was arrested and placed in jail, at Harrisburg, for throwing a rail at an engineer on an engine on the Lebanon Valley Rail Road, by which the engineer was somewhat injured. The *Telegarph* of Tuesday afternoon states that the man arrested is from Altoona, where he has relatives living, and is evidently simple or partially deranged. Who is he?

☞ The Iron City Commercial College of Pittsburg, Pa., guarantees to give thorough instruction in every branch of study advertised in its circular. It is now the largest and most thorough Commercial School of the country, and students are constantly attending from the most distant States.

BROKE OUT IN A NEW PLACE.—G. W. Fisher, the celebrated artist, of Hollidaysburg, has opened a Daguerrean gallery, on Annie Street, in the room formerly occupied by John W. Clabaugh. All who want good and true pictures should call on Fisher at once.

PUBLIC SALE.—The American Hotel and Washington Hotel properties in this place, are to be sold at Public Sale, on the premises, on Thursday, December 22d. The first named is a large three story brick building, well adapted for the purpose. The second is a good frame building with a basement. Also, a large two-story frame dwelling house situate in Loudonsville. For particulars inquire of

JOHN SHOEMAKER.

Altoona, Dec. 1, 1859-3t.

NOTICE.—Notice is hereby given to the Stockholders that the 7th instalment on the Capital Stock of the Altoona Gas and Water Company, will be due and made payable at the Banking House of Wm. M. Lloyd & Co., on Friday, December 16th, 1859.

BENJ. F. ROSE, *Sec'y.*

November, 17th, 1859.

No. 1. Literary Emporium Still Ahead!

H. Fettinger begs leave to announce to his numerous patrons and the public generally, that he is now closing out the balance of his stock of fancy and staple articles *below cost*, in order to make room for his immense new stock of toys, notions and fancy articles which he will have on hand for the Holidays. He now offers a rare chance for bargains.

N. B. Also, a large stock of school books selling at cost. Call and be convinced.

☞ We copy the following article, (which we publish by request,) from the *Democratic Standard* of Nov. 9th, and would call the attention of the School Directors to it. It is a fact that school books are accumulating very fast, and those who send children to school know how expensive it is to supply them with the *necessary* (?) school books. The Directors too, should think of the teachers—of how arduous their task must be of classing their schools when so many different kinds of books are introduced, and should try to relieve them of this unnecessary trouble:—

Money Expended for Schools.

MR. RAMEY—SIR:—I desire to call your attention to the fact, (and I have no doubt but what you have already noticed it,) of the useless expenditure of money annually for school books. There is certainly a great deal of money unnecessarily spent for this purpose, and it should not be so. It is a well known fact that the country is flooded with school books, and there is no end to the number of authors. Almost every year a new series of spelling and reading books, and Arithmetic, Grammar, or Geography is published. Then it is the policy of the author to have them introduced into the schools. It is a *new* book, and having "the advantage of all the late improvements of the day," must necessarily supercede all others of the kind. In order, therefore, to give a place to this *superior (?)* article, books that have been bought six or eight months ago must be laid on the shelf. No one will doubt the propriety of renewing a Geography once in five years; because in this fast age towns are almost daily springing into existence, and in our own country new States are being almost annually admitted into the Union, new railroads, &c., constructed, and hence the face of the country changes. But where the necessity of three or four different kinds of Geographies in one school, as I know to be the case in many schools in this county? Besides, it takes the time of the teacher—three or four scholars in each class, whereas, if all had the same kind of books there need be but one class.

But how many different English Grammars have we—and reading and spelling books? I fear this question is hard to answer. I am glad to say, however, that Greenleaf's arithmetic is rapidly gaining favor in the country, and is being adopted every where by the School Directors. I wish to see the day when as much can be said of somebody's Grammar. We have now an English grammar for almost every part of speech, and they all have their admirers. You hear some who allege that Brown's grammar is the best ever written, and should be in every school; others again will give all praise to Kirkham's; others to Bullion's, Covell's, Smith's, Murray's, and a host of others. The Directors should make a choice of one of these and use it exclusively for at least five years—and a well-bound grammar will last a much longer time, with proper care. The same policy should be pursued in regard to all the other books. By this means a great deal of money that is now laid out for books can be saved and used in paying taxes.

Again: if this method were adopted and strictly adhered to, some books would answer for several children. A reading book for instance, when A. has finished it and is about to get one higher, can be laid aside for B. and C., and so on. But where the books change every year, this can not be done, for "the book A. had at school will not do now—it is not the right kind—the teacher says we must get Osgood's now, McGuffey's are no longer in use." Then, if it happens to be a new teacher, the old saying among parents, (and they are right too) is applicable—"a new teacher must have new books!"

Directors should reflect upon this matter, and the sooner they adopt a plan to stop this system of new books being introduced annually in their schools, the sooner will the people cease to grumble, and the common school system will receive the praise instead of the curses of the people. Our colleges, and all the higher seminaries of learning adopt their own books, and every. "Tom, Dick and Harry" is not permitted to come with their *new* and *improved* books; the Professors or those who have charge of the institution will not countenance or encourage them. NOW AND THEN.

Hollidaysburg, Sept. 1859.

MARRIED.

On the 29th ult., by Rev. J. L. Holmes, Mr. JAS. BEYER, of Blair Co., to Miss SUSANNA WOLVERTON, of Huntingdon Co., Pa.

On Thursday, Dec. 1, 1859, at the Lutheran Parsonage, in Newry, by the Rev. Jos. Fichtner, Mr. ANTHONY U. SELWITZ, to Miss MARY STORN, both of Allegheny Township.

Dec. 1, 1859, near Martinsburg, at the house of George Bateman, by Rev. Henry Seifert, Mr. WILLIAM BATEMAN to Miss MARIA SORRICK, both of Woodberry township.

DIED.

In Tyrone, on the 18th ult., MARY K., daughter of Silas and Eliza A. Sneeringer, aged 5 years, 7 months, and 23 days.

In Martinsburg, on the 24 inst., JACOB H. BARNDOLLAR, (merchant,) in the 38th year of his age.

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LEONARD SCOTT & CO.,
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NOTICE.—LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION having been granted by the Orphans' Court of Blair Co. to the undersigned, on the estate of Dr. G. D. Thomas, deceased, late of Altoona, Pa., all persons having claims against such estate, are hereby notified to present their accounts duly authenticated and ready for settlement, to the undersigned at her residence, in Altoona, or to Mr. James Hutchison, of Logan township, one of the former executors of said estate, on or before the 15th day of December ensuing. And all persons knowing themselves indebted to said estate, are notified to come forward promptly and make payment, as no longer indulgence can be given. NANCY JANE THOMAS, Administratrix.

Altoona, Nov. 23d, 1859-6t.

THE PENNSYLVANIA BITUMINOUS COAL & IRON COMPANY.

The general annual meeting of the stockholders of the Pennsylvania Bituminous Coal and Iron Company will be held at the Girard House, in the city of Philadelphia, on the second Wednesday of December, 1859, at which meeting an election will be held for Directors, a Treasurer and Secretary of said Company. The poll will open from one to two o'clock, P. M.

E. BENSON, *Pres't.*

December 1, 1859.

ESTRAY.—CAME TO THE RESIDENCE of the subscriber, in Antes township, Blair county, on or about the 1st of November, 1859, a LIGHT RED HEIFFER, with a white face, supposed to be about two years old. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges and take her away, otherwise she will be disposed of according to law.

Antes tp., Dec. 1st.-3t DAVID CHERRY.

PRIVATE SALE.—THE HOUSE & LOT of Thomas McCulla, in Altoona, (formerly Greensburg,) is offered at private sale. *Lot* 19½ feet front by 150 deep. For further information inquire of the occupant, BERNARD McNEALIS.

Dec. 1, 1859.

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Nov. 10, 1859.

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1859. Fall Trade 1859.

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LADIES' DRESS GOODS

which this meridian calls for, and all just suited to the season, together with a well selected assortment of House Furnishing Goods, such as Carpets, Window Blinds, Shades, &c., which will command themselves.

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he has a great variety—from which they can not fail to make a satisfactory selection. He has also a tip-top assortment of GROCERIES as good, fresh and cheap as can be had this side of the place of growing or manufacture. Also, HARDWARE, QUEENSWARE, and everything necessary to complete a store in a thriving town like Altoona.

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Altoona, Oct. 20, 1859.

LOOK OUT FOR YOUR HEAD!

A poet gives the following advice to young men on going to parties:

In going to parties, just mind what your at;
Beware of your head and take care of your HAT;
Lest you find that a favorite son of your mother,
Has an ache in the one and a brick in the other.

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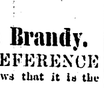

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For the cure of Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Nausea, Flatulency, Loss of Appetite, or any Bilious Complaints, arising from a morbid condition of the Stomach or Bowels, producing Cramps, Dysentery, Colic, Cholera Morbus, &c., these Bitters have no equal.

Diarrhœa, dysentery or flux, so generally contracted by new settlers, and caused principally by the change of water and diet, will be speedily regulated by a brief use of this preparation. Dyspepsia, a disease which is probably more prevalent, in all its various forms, than any other, and the cause of which may always be attributed to derangements of the digestive organs, can be cured without fail by using HOSTETTER'S STOMACH BITTERS, as per directions on the bottle. For this disease every physician will recommend Bitters of some kind; then why not use an article known to be infallible? All nations have their Bitters, as a preventive of disease and strengthener of the system in general; and among them all there is not to be found a more healthy people than the Germans, from whom this preparation emanated, based upon scientific experiments which have tended to prove the value of this great preparation in the scale of medical science.

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For Persons in Advanced Years, who are suffering from an enfeebled constitution and infirm body, these Bitters are invaluable as a restorative of strength and vigor, and need only be tried to be appreciated. And to a mother while nursing these Bitters are indispensable, especially where the mother's nourishment is inadequate to the demands of the child, consequently her strength must yield, and here it is where a good tonic, such as Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, is needed to impart temporary strength and vigor to the system. Ladies should by all means try this remedy for all cases of debility, and, before so doing, should ask their physician, who, if he is acquainted with the virtue of the Bitters, will recommend their use in all cases of weakness.

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DRAWS ON SATURDAY, DEC. 31st, 1859.

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1 Grand Capital Prize of $100,000!

1 Prize of		$50,000	168 Prizes of		$500
1 "	"	20,000	65 "	"	125
3 "	"	10,000	65 "	"	100
3 "	"	6,000	65 "	"	80
3 "	"	4,000	65 "	"	50
3 "	"	3,000	4,810 "	"	40
3 "	"	2,500	27,040 "	"	20
100 "	"	1,000			

32,396 Prizes amounting to $1,186,785!
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Whole Tickets $20; Halves $10; Quarters $5.

Certificates of Packages in the above scheme will be sold at the following rates, which is the risk:

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" "	26	Half "	149 50
" "	26	Quarter "	74 75
" "	26	Eighth "	37 37

SPLENDID SCHEME.
TO BE DRAWN
EACH WEDNESDAY IN DECEMBER.

Class 636 Draws Wednesday, December 7, 1859.
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78 Numbers—13 Drawn Ballots.

1 CAPITAL PRIZE OF $40,000!

1 Prize of	$15,000	65 Prizes of		100
1 "	10,000	65 "		80
1 "	7,500	65 "		50
1 "	5,000	65 "		40
1 "	4,120	130 "		30
30 Prizes of	1,250	4,680 "		20
50 "	500	27,040 "		10
200 "	300			

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" "	26	Half "	74,75
" "	26	Quarter "	37,37

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Enclose the amount of money to our address, for what you wish to purchase; name the Lottery in which you wish it invested, and whether you wish Wholes, Halves or Quarters, on receipt of which, we send what is ordered, by first mail, together with the scheme.

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DR. COGGSWELL'S NEW MEDICAL SALT.

Read the following Certificates to the Efficacy of this Medicine in Inflammatory Diseases.

"For the last twelve years I have been more or less troubled with Inflammatory Rheumatism, commencing early in the Spring, and lasting until cold weather set in, when I would be relieved for a while, only to be attacked again in the Spring. All my joints would swell and be very sore, attended with the most acute pain. My feet, shoulders, arms, and hands troubled me most, so much so that I could scarcely walk, and almost always required assistance in dressing. During this time I would try everything I could hear of, in the hope of finding a cure. I also tried several physicians, but nothing seemed to help me the least in the world. About two and a half years ago I was attacked as usual, and as usual tried everything to get rid of it, but to no purpose. I kept growing worse, and finally had to give up and stay in the house, where I was confined about four weeks. This time my feet swelled, and were so sore that I could not stand on them or get on my boots, and my hands swelled to twice their usual size. In fact, I was, to all appearances and belief, totally used up. About this time my parents, who reside in Maine, sent for me to come home. I went and after my arrival I commenced trying another remedy, hoping to be cured, but resulting the same as all others. For weeks I had not been able to dress myself or to raise my hand to my head, and suffering the most excruciating pain all the time.—One day my father came in with a paper in which was advertised Dr. Coggswell's MEDICAL SALT, for Inflammatory Diseases only, and wanted me to read and see what I thought of it. I read and laughed at it, pronounced it a humbug, and told him that I had been humbugged enough. He kept urging me, and at last said I could but try it, and if I would write to Dr. C., giving him a description of my disease, he would pay the expense. Of course I could not refuse such an offer and sent for one box. It came in due season, but my faith was not increased, and I laughed at the idea of so small a dose doing me any good, and told my wife that I believed Dr. C. and his Salt, both humbugs.—However, I commenced using it and the result was perfectly astonishing. I could hardly realize it myself. I slept soundly all night, which I had not done for a long time, and when I awoke in the morning, strange as it may seem, I was entirely free from pain. I had then taken but one dose, and bathed freely before going to bed. That morning I felt so well that I hardly knew how to contain myself, and went down stairs and told the folks how well I felt, and from that day to this I have not suffered one moment's pain or had an attack of my once dreaded enemy, Rheumatism. I am perfectly well and hearty, and wherever I have a chance I recommend it. A friend of mine, residing in Brooklyn, is now trying it for a bad case of neuralgic rheumatism, and so far it is working admirably.—This is a long story, but I have told all the facts, which I can bring witnesses to substantiate if necessary; and will again say that in the MEDICAL SALT, a sure cure may be found for all inflammatory diseases, and would urge all who are afflicted to give it a trial. GEO. H. DUNCAN.
No. 117 Wall Street, New York.

When it is remembered that the MEDICAL SALT is as efficacious in all other Inflammatory diseases as in Rheumatism, (see descriptive circulars) it will at once be seen that it is a most valuable remedy. Surely those thus afflicted will find in their own condition and in the above statements, enough to induce them to give the MEDICAL SALT a trial.

Price $1,00; Chronic packages, $2,50.

D. C. TAYLOR & CO.,
General Agents, No. 202 Dock Street, Philadelphia.

For sale in Altoona by A. ROUSH: at Bells Mills by B. F. Bell: in Hollidaysburg by Geo. A. Jacobs, and by all enterprising Druggists, and wherever the *Tribune* goes. Call or send and get a circular, and do not fail to try the New Medical Salt.
Dec. 16, '58-1y.

WEST ALTOONA CABINET WARE ROOM.

—The undersigned has lately made arrangements to do business on a more extensive scale than heretofore, and is now prepared to execute all

ORDERS FOR FURNITURE,
OF ANY KIND,
AT SHORTEST NOTICE.

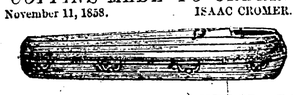
His workmen are acknowledged to be capable of doing
The very best work in the line of Cabinet Making,
and all those who entrust him with their orders may rely upon receiving finished work.

He keeps a constant supply of Furniture on hand, to which he invites to attention of those intending to

"GO TO HOUSE-KEEPING."

Call on him at at his room in Loudonsville, near the Plank Road.

COFFINS MADE TO ORDER.
November 11, 1858. ISAAC CROMER.



FISK'S METALIC BURIAL CASES.

—This is a new article in this section of the country, although extensively used in the East. They are a sure protection against

WATER AND VERMIN,

and possess many other advantages over the common coffins. The remains of the lamented CLAY and WEBSTER were encased in these cases.

For sale by ISAAC CROMER,
November 11, 1858. Altoona, Pa.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMEMT
FROM THE
Quaker City Publishing House!
100,000 Catalogues,
NEW, ENLARGED AND REVISED—NOW READY FOR DISTRIBUTION.

Superior Inducements to the Public!

☞ A new and sure plan for obtaining GOLD and SILVER WATCHES, and other valuable Prizes. Full particulars given in Catalogues, which will be sent free to all upon application.

Valuable Gifts, worth from 50 cts. to $100, GUARANTEED to each purchaser. $100,000 in Gifts have been distributed to my patrons within the past six months—$150,000 to be distributed during the next six months.

The inducements offered Agents are more liberal than those of any other house in the business.

Having been in the Publishing and Bookselling business for the last eight years, my experience enables me to conduct the Gift Enterprise with the greatest satisfaction to all.

☞ AGENTS WANTED in every Town and County. For full particulars address DUANE RULISON,
Quaker City Publishing House, 33 South Third St.,
Sept. 22, '59—3m. Philadelphia, Pa.

RED LION HOTEL,
ALTOONA, BLAIR COUNTY, PA.

This old established and popular HOTEL, located nearly opposite the place of stopping the passenger cars in Altoona, has passed into the hands of the present proprietor.—Long experience in the business warrants me in assuring the travelling public that no pains will be spared to render guests as comfortable as possible while sojourning under my roof.

The TABLE will constantly be supplied with the very best the market affords.

The BAR will be found to contain an excellent assortment of LIQUORS of all kinds, including that choice beverage *LAGER BEER.*

The STABLE is in charge of an excellent and experienced Ostler.

The proprietor hopes, by his long experience in the busines and the facilities at his command, to make the Red Lion, in all respects, a first class Hotel. The business of the Hotel will be under my own personal supervision. A liberal share of public patronage is kindly solicited.

JOHN W. SCHWEIGERT, *Proprietor.*
May 19, 1859.-tf

AYER'S CHERRY PECTORAL,

R. E. SELLERS' Imperial Cough Syrup,
Hoofland's German Bitters,
Boerhave's Holland Bitters,
Sandford's Liver Invigorator,
Lindsey's Blood Searcher,
Clarke's Female Pills,
Dupònco's Golden Pills,
Wright's, Ayer's, Wilson's and McLane's Pills,
Merchant's Gargling Oil,
Perry Davis' Pain Killer,
Matchett's Fourfold Liniment,
Mexican, Arabian, Nerve and Bone Leniment,
in store and for sale at
Sept. 2, 1858-tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

FLOUR.—THE BEST QUALITY OF FAMILY FLOUR for sale, Wholesale and Retail.—

Apply to J. SHOEMAKER,
Dec. 11, 1856-tf. Masonic Temple.

CREAM TARTER, SUPER-CARBONATE of Soda, Saleratus, Washing Soda, Durkee's Baking Powder, in store and for sale at

Sept. 2, '58-tf.] A. ROUSH'S Drug Store.

SELLING OFF—A LARGE ASSORTMENT of Boots and Shoes, Buffalo and Calf Overshoes, at H. TUCH'S
Dec. 9, 1858.

CAMPHENE, BURNING FLUID, Linseed Oil, Spirits of Turpentine, White Lead and Alcohol, for sale cheap at A. ROUSH'S.

GROCERIES.—A LARGE AND complete assortment of Groceries have just been received at the store of J. B. HILEMAN.

PERSONS wishing to establish Manufactories in a new and thriving place where business is good. See advertisement of the Hammonton Settlement.

CARPET BAGS, TRUNKS, UMBRELLAS, &c., can be bought cheaper at H. TUCH'S than at any other place in the country. [Dec. 9, 1858.

ALL THE STANDARD PATENT MEDICINES AT [1-tf. KESSLER'S.

GREAT CENTRAL LITERARY EMPORIUM,
NO. 1, "ALTOONA HOUSE," ALTOONA, PA.,

WHERE MAY BE HAD ALL THE popular Publications of the day, as follows:

New York Ledger,
New York Mercury,
New York Weekly,
Scientific American,
New York Waverly.
Flag of Our Union,
True Flag,
American Union,
Saturday Evening Post,
Dollar Newspaper,
Sunday Dispatch,
Sunday Mercury,
Waverly Magazine,
Frank Leslie's Pictorial,
Harper's Weekly,
Ballou's Pictorial,
Frank Leslie's Ill. German Paper,
The Illustrated World, (German,)
The New York Clipper,
National Police Gazette,
United States Police Gazette,
Boston Pilot, *Irish American,*
House Journal, *Banner of Light,*
Spiritual Telegraph, *Weekly Tribune,*
Porter's Spirit, *Life Illustrated,*
Frank Leslie's Budget of Fun, *Yankee Notions,*
Alloona Tribune, *Nix Nax.*

DAILIES:

Philadelphia Press, *New York Herald,*
Public Ledger, *New York Tribune,*
Pittsburgh True Press, *New York Times,*
North American, *Pittsburgh Chronicle,*
Evening Bulletin, *Evening Argus,* *Pennsylvanian.*

To which will be added the new publications as they appear. Magazines, Novels and Romances, Miscellaneous Books, School Books, Copy Books, Slates, Pens, Pencils, Inks, Cap and Letter Paper, Envelopes, Drawing and Tissue Paper. Blank Books and in fact every thing in the Stationary line. Toys, Notions and Games of every variety, Pictures and Picture Frames, &c.

☞ A choice lot of CONFECTIONERIES, of every variety. Also, TOBACCO and SEGARS of the best quality,

N. B.—We are sole Wholesale and Retail Agent, in this county, for ROHN'S CELEBRATED SALVE. It does *positively* cure all sores to which it is applied. Try it.

H. FETTINGER.
7-tf.]

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!
At McCormicks Store,

Just arrived, and are now being offered for sale, an extensive assortment of goods of all the different styles and qualities, which the Philadelphia market affords, in the way of dress goods for ladies together with all the more heavy Cotton and Woolen goods for Gentlemen and Boys wear, also a full stock of

READY MADE CLOTHING

for men and Boys, of the best material and latest Styles, in the way of business, dress and over coats, with pants and vests to match. Also all the different varieties of goods, such as

Hardware,
Queensware,
Cedarware,
Tinware,
Stoneware, &c,

GROCERIES,

Family Syrups, Sugar Brown and White, Teas, &c., &c., with all the variety of spices necessary to make up a full assortment.

Men's fine and course Boots and Bootees,
Ladies " " " with & without heels,

in all the different material, with a very pretty assortment of Bonnets.

ALSO MEN AND BOYS LEDGER HATS AND CAPS, and all other articles usually kept in country stores, all of which will be sold as low as in any other house in town for cash, or exchanged for any article of produce, which can be consumed here or exchanged in the East for others.

Altoona, Oct. 27th, '59.

EIGHT REASONS WHY

EVERYBODY SHOULD GO TO

C. B. SINK'S STORE.

1. HE HAS A LARGE AND WELL selected assortment of Dry Goods, which are worth going to see.

2. He has an unequalled stock of *GROCERIES*, fresh and pure, which he will sell as reasonable as any merchant in the place.

3. He has *Hardware, Queensware, Stoneware,* &c., of the most fashionable styles.

4. He has a large case of *Boots and Shoes* for Gents, Ladies, Misses and Children, embracing all sizes, qualities and prices.

5. He has a fine stock of *HATS* for Summer wear—just the pink of the fashion—all very cheap.

6. He keeps always on hand an assortment of *Ready-Made Clothing*, to suit the season.

7. He has in hand a large stock of *Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings*, which he will make up to order on short notice in a fashionable style, and at prices which must give satisfaction.

8. He don't ask people to come and buy—only to come and examine his stock, feeling confident that if they but examine they will buy without asking.

Altoona, May 5, 1859.-tf

GREAT OPENING OF SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS.

J. B. HILEMAN HAS JUST RECEIVED and opened at his old stand, on Virginia st., a large and attractive assortment of seasonable goods, comprising all the novelties in

EREGES, DELLS, LAWNS, GINGHAMS, EMBROIDERIES, LACES, HOSIERY & GLOVES, and all varieties and textures of *LADIES DRESS GOODS,*

together with a full assortment of goods for gentlemen's wear, such as Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings.

Also a full stock of Hardware, Queensware and

GROCERIES,

and an assortment of

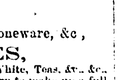
BOOTS, SHOES, GAITORS, &C.,

of all sizes and styles, which equal to any in the market, and will be sold at fair prices.

Having recently enlarged my store-room, I can now display my largely increased stock to better advantage and would respectfully invite everybody to call.

May 12, 1859.

EXCHANGE HOTEL.—THE SUBSCRIBER would respectfully inform the public that he has recently refitted the above Hotel, and is now prepared to accommodate his friends and patrons in a comfortable manner, and he



will spare no pains in making it an agreeable home for all sojourners. His Table will always be luxuriously supplied from the markets of the country and cities, and his Bar filled with liquors of choice brands. His charges are as reasonable as those of any other Hotel in the place, and he feels satisfied they can not be complained of by those who favor him with their custom. Expecting to receive a share of public patronage, and fully intending to deserve it, he throws open his house to the public and invites a trial.

I have just received a stock of No. 1 French Brandy, for medicinal purposes.

Also a large stock of excellent Wines, for medicinal purposes, together with a lot of the best old Rye Whiskey to be found in the country.

Altoona, May 27, 1859.-1y] JOHN BOWMAN.

THE GREAT QUESTION WHICH

now agitates the mind of every person is, where can I get the best article for my money? In regard to other matters, the subscriber would not attempt to direct, but if you want anything in the line of

BOOTS OR SHOES

he invites an examination of his stock and work.

He keeps constantly on hand an assortment of Boots, Shoes, Gaiters, Slippers, &c., which he offers at fair prices.

He will give special attention to custom work, all of which will be warranted to give satisfaction. None but the best workmen are employed

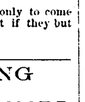
Remember my shop is on Virginia street, immediately opposite Kessler's Drug Store.

September 8, '57-tf] JOHN H. ROBERTS.

THE HAMMONTON FARMER.—A newspaper devoted to Literature and Agriculture, also setting fourth full accounts of the new settlement of Hammonton, in New Jersey, can be subscribed for at only 25 cents per annum.

Inclose postage stamps for the amount. Address to Editor of the Farmer, Hammonton, P. O. Atlantic Co., New Jersey. Those wishing cheap land, of the best quality, in one of the healthiest and most delightful climates in the Union, and where crops are never cut down by frosts, the terrible scourge of the north, see advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

BOOTS AND SHOES.—THE UNDERSIGNED has now on hand and will sell cheap at his store in the Masonic Temple, a large and complete assortment of BOOTS AND SHOES, ready made, or made to order, Overshoes, Ladies' Sandals, Gum Shoes, Cork Soles, and everything in his line of business, of the best quality and on the most reasonable terms. All custom work warranted.



Jan. 2, '56-tf.] J. SHOEMAKER.

SOLUTION OF CITRATE OF MAGNESIA—a cooling Cathartic, mild in its operation and agreeable to the taste, prepared and for sale by

June 24, 1858.-tf A. ROUSH, *Druggist.*

SHOE Business and Factories can be carried on profitably at Hammonton See advertisement of Hammonton Lands.

NEW AGRICULTURAL SETTLEMENT.—*To all wanting Farms, a rare opportunity in a delightful and healthy climate 25 miles Southeast of Philadelphia, on the Camden and Atlantic Railroad New Jersey.*

An old estate consisting of several thousands of acres of *productive soil* has been divided into Farms of various sizes to *suit the* purchaser. A population of some *Fifteen Hundred*, from various parts of the Middle States and New England have settled there the past year, improved their places, *and raised excellent crops.* The price of the land is as the low sum of from $15 to $20 per acre, the soil is of the best quality for the production of *Wheat, Clover, Corn, Peaches, Grapes and Vegetables.* IT IS CONSIDERED THE BEST FRUIT SOIL IN THE UNION. The place is perfectly secure from frosts—the destructive enemy of the farmer. Crops of grain, grass and fruit are now growing and can be seen. By examining the place itself, a correct judgment can be formed of the productiveness of the land. The terms are made easy to secure the rapid improvement of the land, which is only sold for *actual improvement.* The result has been, that within the past year, some *three hundred houses* have been erected, two mills, one steam, four stores, some forty vineyards and Peach orchards, planted, and a large number of other improvements, making it a desirable and active place of business.

THE MARKET.

as the reader may perceive from its location, is the

BEST IN THE UNION.

Produce bringing double the price than in locations away from the City, and more than double the price than the West. It is known that the earliest and best fruits and vegetables in this latitude come from New Jersey, and are annually exported to the extent of millions.

In locating here, the settler has many advantages. He is within a few hours ride of the great cities of New England and Middle States, he is near his old friends and associations, he is in a *settled country where every improvement of comfort and civilization is at hand.* He can buy every article he wants at the cheapest price, and sell his produce for the highest, (in the West this is reversed,) he has schools for his children, *divine service*, and will enjoy an open winter, and delightful climate, where fevers are utterly unknown. The result of the change upon those from the north, has generally been to restore them to an excellent state of health.

In the way of building and improving, lumber can be obtained at the mills at the rate of $10 to $15 per thousand. Bricks from the brick yard opened in the place, every article can be procured in the place, good carpenters are at hand, and there is no place in the Union where buildings and improvements can be made cheaper.

The reader will at once be struck with the advantages there presented, and ask himself why the property has not been taken up before. The reason is, it was never thrown in the market; and unless these statements were correct, no one would be invited to examine the land before purchasing. This all are expected to do. They will see land under cultivation, such is the extent of the settlement that they will no doubt, meet persons, from their own neighborhood: they will witness the improvements and can judge the character of the population. If they come with a view to settle, they should come prepared to stay a day or two and be ready to purchase, as locations cannot be held on refusal.

There are two daily trains to Philadelphia, and to all settlers who improve, the Railroad Company gives a Free Ticket for six months, and a half-price Ticket for three years.

THE TOWN OF HAMMONTON.

In connection with the agricultural settlement, a new and thriving town has naturally arisen, *which presents inducements for any kind of business, particularly stores and manufactories. The Shoe business* could be carried on in this place and market to good advantage, also cotton business, and manufactories of *agricultural implements* or *Founderies for casting small articles.* The improvement has been so rapid as to insure a constant and permanent increase of business. Town lots of a good size, we do not sell small ones, as it would effect the improvement of the place, can be had at from $100 and upwards.

The *Hammonton Farmer*, a monthly literary and agricultural sheet, containing full information of Hammonton, can be obtained at 25 cents per annum.

Title indisputable—warrantee deeds given, clear of all incumbrance when money is paid. Route to the land, leave Vine street wharf, Philadelphia for Hammonton by Railroad, at 7½ A. M., or 4½ P. M. Fare 90 cents. When there inquire for Mr. Byrnes. Boarding conveniences on hand. Parties had better stop with Mr. Byrnes, a principal, until they have decided as to purchasing, as he will show them over the land in his carriage, free of expense Letters and applications can be addressed to Landis & Byrnes, Hammonton P. O., Atlantic Co., New Jersey, or S. B. Coughlin, 202 South Fifth Street, Philadelphia.—Maps and information cheerfully furnished.

[June 30 '59-6m.]

THE UNDERSIGNED WOULD

respectfully inform his old customers and the public generally that he has just received a LARGE and HANDSOME assortment of

CLOTHS, Cassimeres, AND VESTINGS,

which he is now and is prepared to the latest style & ner, as none but are employed, and be warranted to give satisfaction. He has also a good Stock of GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS, such as SHIRTS, COLLARS, UNDERSHIRTS, Drawers, Pocket Handkerchiefs, Neck Ties, Stocks, Suspenders, Hosiery, &c., &c.; also a large assortment of READY-MADE CLOTHING, all of which he is determined to sell as cheap as they can be bought this side of Philadelphia. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine my stock, as I shall take pleasure in showing them. Doors open at all times from 6 A. M. until 9 P. M. Admittance free.

offering for sale, make them up in most durable manthe best workmen all work made will give satisfaction.

May 5 1859-tf THOMAS ELWAY.

PATENT KEROSENE OR CARBON OIL LAMPS!

Unrivaled in Beauty, Simplicity Safety or Economy.

Every person desiring to obtain the very best and cheapest portable light within their reach, should call at the store of the undersigned and examine these Lamps before purchasing elsewhere, and we pledge ourselves to demonstrate

1st. That NO ACCIDENT can occur by explosion.
2d. That they emit no offensive odor while burning.
3d. That they are very easily trimmed.
4th. That they are easily regulated to give more or less light.
5th. That they burn entirely free from smoke.
6th. That the light is at least 50 per cent. cheaper than any other light now in common use.

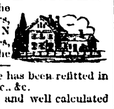
These lamps are admirably adapted for the use of Students, Mechanics, Seamstresses, Factories, Halls, Churches, Stores, Hotels, and are highly recommended for family use.

The burner of the Carbon Oil Lamp can be attached to old side, hanging and table fluid and oil lamps, at a small expense, and will answer every purpose of a new lamp.

We guarantee perfect satisfaction in all cases.

Aug. 19, 1858-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

LOGAN HOTEL.—THE UNDERSIGNED respectfully informs the citizens of Blair county and others, that he has opened up the LOGAN HOUSE, formerly kept by Sheriff Reed, at the west end of Hollidaysburg, for the reception of strangers and travellers.—Everything connected with the house has been refitted in the new with the choicest furniture, &c., &c.



The house is large and commodious, and well calculated for convenience and comfort.

His TABLE will be furnished with the very best the market can afford, and no pains or trouble will be spared to render those who may choose to favor him with their patronage comfortable and happy during their stay with him.

His STABLING is ample, and an obliging and careful hostler will always be in attendance.

☞ The Williamsburg stage, which makes daily trips between this place and Williamsburg, stops at the Logan Hotel.

Dec. 17, 1857.—tf.] JOHN KEIFFER.

BY ATLANTIC TELEGRAPH.—Did you hear the news from Europe? If you have not, we will tell you what it is. It is that HENRY TUCK has just returned from the Eastern cities with a large supply of

READY-MADE CLOTHING,

consisting of all styles and qualities of Overcoats, Dress Coats, Vests, Pants, Boots and Shoes, and everything kept in an establishment of the kind, all of which he offers at unprecedentedly low prices for cash. Having purchased his stock at cash prices, he is thereby enabled to sell very low.

He invites all those in want of anything in his line to give him a call, feeling sure that he will be able to give satisfaction. HENRY TUCK.

Altoona, Sept. 30, 1858.-tf

OYSTERS! OYSTERS! OYSTERS!

In consequence of the hard times, I have concluded to put down the price of my OYSTERS to the lowest possible standard. They will hereafter be served up on the Chafing Dish at TWENTY CENTS, and roasted in the shell and served up with all other accompaniments, TWENTY-FIVE CENTS. They will also be furnished, in every other way, at prices to correspond with the times.

JOHN KEIFFER,
Dec. 17, tf.] Logan House, Hollidaysburg.

CONCENTRATED LYE, FOR MAKING Soft Soap, and Soap Powder for Washing, one pound equal to six of common Soap; Castile Soap, Palm Soap, Chemical Soap, etc., on hand and for sale at

June 10, 1858.-tf] A. ROUSH'S.

LIQUORS.—A LARGE AMOUNT of well selected LIQUORS has been received at the "LOGAN HOUSE," Hollidaysburg, which will be sold at the lowest cash prices, wholesale or retail. The man who wants has only to call. [Dec. 17, tf.

QUEENSWARE, JUST RECEIVED. A large and fashionable assortment at the store of J. B HILEMAN.

HAIR OILS, COLOGNES, POMades, Shaving Cream, Toilet Soaps, &c. for sale by

1-tf.] G. W. KESSLER.

HARDWARE OF ALL DESCRIPtions just received and for sale by

Oct. 15-tf.] J. B. HILEMAN.

HAIR, HAT, TOOTH, SHAVING, Paint, Sash and Varnish Brushes at KESSLER'S.

MARIA L. DE PEYSTER MEMORIAL SCHOOL.—This institution, which is located in Altoona, Blair County, Penn'a, will be opened on the 1st MONDAY in MAY. It is intended as a permanent School; and will connect with it a Male & Female Department. In the Male department, young men will be instructed with a view to their entering the advanced classes of our best Colleges; or, if desired, their education completed. In the Female department, instruction will be given in any, or all of the different branches, either *solid or ornamental*, taught in our best Female Seminaries.

The year will be divided into two Sessions of five months each—the Summer Session to commence on the 1st Monday in May, ending on the last Wednesday of September—the Winter Session to commence on the 1st Monday in November, ending on the last Wednesday of March. The Sessions will be divided into two quarters of eleven weeks each. Terms, per quarter, as follows—viz.:

SOLID BRANCHES.

Primary (including Reading, Writing, Orthography, Arithmetic, Grammar, and Geography, &c.)	$4,00
Advanced (including the Natural Sciences, Mathematics, Mental and Moral Philosophy, Logic, the Languages and Composition &c.)	$5,00

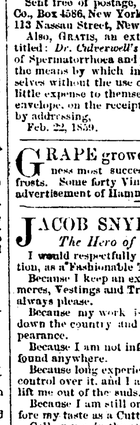
EXTRA, OR ORNAMENTAL BRANCHES.

Music (including use of instrument)	$10,00
Drawing,	3,00
Painting (In water Colors)	3,00
Needle work,	2,00

Instructions in vocal music gratis. One half the above charges, to be paid invariably in advance.

R. W. OLIVER, *Superintendent Male Dep't.*
A. B. CLARK, " *Female* "
Mr. ——— *Principal of Male* "
Miss C. M. CLARK, " *Female* "

March 10, 1859.-tf



HOLLIDAYSBURG MARBLE WORKS

JOHN McKEAGE, successor to A. W. Kinney, Manufacturer of all kinds of PLAIN AND ORNAMENTAL MARBLE WORK, at the lowest possible prices. All work finished at this establishment warranted to give satisfaction.

Hollidaysburg, Dec. 30, 1858-tf.

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.—The undersigned would beg leave to announce to the citizens of Blair county and vicinity that he has opened his new Store on *Virginia street, three doors below the Superintendent's Office*, where he has just received from the East and West a large assortment of

Foreign and Domestic Liquors,

consisting as follows:

French Otard Brandy, Cognac Brandy, Peach Brandy, Cherry Brandy, Old Burgundy Wine, Old Port Wine, Jamaica Rum, Holland Gins Old Rye Whiskey, Monongahela Whiskey, and Rhine Wine,

which he has himself imported. Retailers of Liquors and Farmers will find it to their advantage to buy of him, as he will sell at CITY PRICES.

He will also keep constantly on hand an assortment of

GROCERIES,

Such as Flour, Bacon, Salt, Fish, Tobacco, Segars, Syrup, Sugar, Coffee, &c., &c.,

All of which will be sold cheap for cash or Country Produce.

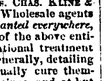
Our friends and the public generally are respectfully invited to give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

LOUIS PLACK.

Altoona, May 26, 1859.-tf

PERSONS wishing to change their business to a rapidly increasing Country, a New Settlement where hundreds are going. Where the climate is mild and delightful. See advertisement of the Hammonton Settlement, in another column.

THE GREEN BOOK. JUST PUBLISHED, 150 PAGES, PRICE 25 Cents; On Single and Married life; or, the Institution of Marriage; its Interesting Obligations, and Physical and Legal Disqualifications; the *rational* treatment of all private diseases in both sexes, &c. To which is added a poetical essay, entitled "*Callipædiæ*;" or the art of having and rearing beautiful and healthy children, by the *late* Robert J. Culverwell, Esq., M. D.



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Also, GRATIS, an extract and sample of the above entitled: *Dr. Culverwell's Lecture* on the rational treatment of Spermatorrhœa and private diseases generally, detailing the means by which invalids may effectually cure themselves without the use of dangerous medicines, and at but little expense to themselves. Sent free by mail in a secure envelope, on the receipt of one stamp, to prepay postage, by addressing, CHAS. KLINE & CO.,

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I would respectfully set forth my claim to public attention, as a Fashionable Tailor, as follows:

Because I keep an excellent assortment of Cloths, Cassimeres, Vestings and Trimmings, which, when examined, always please.

Because my work is made up in a manner that takes down the country and gives all my customers a city appearance.

Because I am not inferior as a Cutter to the best to be found anywhere.

Because long experience in my business gives me entire control over it, and I am not dependant upon any one to lift me out of the suds.

Because I am still on the sunny side of forty, and therefore my taste as a Cutter and workman unimpaired.

Call on me, in the corner room of the "Brant House." Give me a trial and you will go away pleased.

Altoona, May 26-3m JACOB SNYDER.

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